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TEN CENTS A WEEK.

DR. HUNTER.

His Election Now Believed to be Certain.

BRADLEY COMBINE A FAILURE.

Rumor of the Intended Resignation of Governor Bradley Revived.

BRIEBY CHARGES TO BE INVESTIGATED.

Frankfort, March 22.—All indications now point to the certain election of Dr. Hunter, and faith in his easy success is gaining ground everywhere. The House this forenoon passed a resolution to investigate the charges of bribery that have been made.

CAUCUSES TO-NIGHT.

The Members Getting Ready to Vote To-Morrow.

Frankfort, March 22.—Caucuses will be held tonight by the Hunter supporters and the other factions of the legislature. Dr. Hunter claims he will be an easy winner. The combine in favor of Governor Bradley is said to be working hard, but it is not believed it can win. The silver-lites are saying nothing.

OLD RUMOR REVIVED.

Said Governor Bradley Will Resign and Has So Expressed Himself.

Frankfort, March 22.—The rumor of Governor Bradley's intended resignation is again current. It is stated that the governor expressed such an intention this morning.

THE ILL-FATED ST. NAZARIE.

Another Boat Picked Up Containing Six Dead Bodies.

New York, March 22.—Another boat of the St. Nazarie was found this morning. It contained six dead bodies, which had apparently been dead some days. Everything indicated that death came from starvation and exposure, after terrible suffering.

LOUISVILLE CHAIR COMPANY.

Fails, With Liabilities Amounting to \$60,000 or More.

Louisville, March 22.—Quite a stir in business circles was caused today by the announcement that the Louisville Chair Company had made an assignment for the benefit of creditors. The liabilities will foot up more than \$60,000. Slow collections are given as the cause of the failure.

CYCLONE IN GEORGIA.

School House Demolished, Eight Children Killed.

Arlington, Ga., March 22.—Two school houses here were blown down by a cyclone this morning during the session of school and eight children were killed outright and a number of others seriously injured. Though full particulars from other sections are not at hand, it is known that heavy damage was suffered elsewhere in this county.

THE DINGLEY BILL.

Mr. Dingley Addressing Congress on the Tariff Today.

Washington, March 22.—Mr. Dingley, of Maine, chairman of the Ways and Means committee, is this afternoon addressing the house on the proposed new tariff bill. He will be followed by Congressman Bailey, of Texas, in opposition.

MANY BREAKS.

In the Levee Above Memphis Cause Great Alarm.

Memphis, March 22.—Although there has been a slight fall here there is great alarm for the levees above on account of numerous breaks in the levee. It is feared the inundation will take the people unaware and that many may be unable to escape. That many will be immense loss of property there is not the smallest doubt.

FALLING AT MEMPHIS.

Great Damage Anticipated From New Breaks in the Levee.

Memphis, Tenn., March 21.—To-night for the first time in many weeks, the Mississippi river is reported falling at Memphis, the gauge reading 37 feet, against 37.1 at 7 o'clock this morning.

Several breaks in the levee are known to have occurred between Osceola, Ark., and Memphis, and the fall of the river here is attributed to these crevasses. The break at

Sans Souci is widening, and the mad rush of the water through the opening can be heard for miles. Three additional breaks, all near Sans Souci, are reported today, and the suffering of the people in Eastern Arkansas will surely be greatly intensified.

\$100,000 FIRE.

The Gentry Block Burned in Lawrence, Mass.

Lawrence, Mass., March 22.—Fire broke out in the Gentry Block in this city this morning and before the fire department reached the scene had gained such headway as to render it impossible to save the block which was destroyed, entailing a loss of \$100,000. Eight persons were seriously injured by falling walls.

THE WAY THEY HARMONIZE.

Senator Stephens' Account of the Sound Money Caucus.

In an interview Senator W. W. Stephens spoke at length on the attitude of the sound money Democrats at Frankfort. He said:

"On Friday night before the convening of the legislature thirteen of the National Democrats met at a room at the Capital Hotel and organized by meeting a chairman. The policy to be pursued by the National Democrats was fully discussed at this meeting, and it was unanimously agreed that they would not be a party to any revolutionary proceeding, but, on the contrary, would only by a sense of right and justice, that they would facilitate the business of the session as much as possible. It was proposed at that meeting that the National Democrats should nominate and vote for a candidate for United States senator who represented their views. This proposition met with general approval at that meeting, only one or two objecting to this course. As it was not a full meeting no action was taken, and the meeting was adjourned till Monday night. At this meeting on Monday a proposition was made that the National Democrats meet with the free silver Democrats and some Republicans to defeat Dr. Hunter and elect Governor Bradley to the Senate. This proposition was strongly opposed, but as several members were away attending the funeral services of Senator Sawyer it was agreed that action on the proposition should be postponed till the next meeting. Just before adjournment I proposed to the meeting that if they did not adopt this proposition, which seemed evident from the expressions given, that we as National Democrats, vote solidly for Hon. George M. Davis for United States Senator. The only objection to this proposition came from the Senator from Woodford—Hon. H. L. Merriam—who had suggested and advocated the other proposition. He insisted that he would not be bound by a nomination of the National Democrats. With this exception the proposition to vote for Mr. Davis was agreed to in this informal way without taking a regular vote, and the meeting was adjourned till Thursday evening."

"The proposition to vote for Gov. Bradley was fully discussed, but as we did not have a full meeting no vote was taken. The meeting was adjourned to meet again upon call of chairman. If a vote had been taken the majority would have been against the proposition. I have been against the proposition from the time it was first mentioned. I could not see how the National Democrats and free silver Democrats could be harmonized by agreeing to vote for a candidate with whom they differed on the most vital questions. It seemed to me that the National Democrats, who had made such great sacrifices for principle, lost it all by agreeing to lose and nothing to gain."

"When I left Frankfort on Friday afternoon a good majority of the National Democrats were against this proposition. On that day Senators Joseph New, J. H. Holloway, W. H. Hayward, and representatives J. C. Lykins, M. C. Swinford, J. A. Violet and A. J. Carroll had expressed their opposition to it. Messrs. Stout, Baird and Norman are strongly opposed to that proposition. When I left I was satisfied that there were thirteen out of seventeen sound money Democrats who would vote against the proposition. I believe the great majority of sound money Democrats will vote for the Hon. George M. Davis."

List of Patents.

The following patents were granted Kentucky and Tennessee inventors this week, as reported by C. A. Snow & Co., solicitors of American and foreign patents, opposite United States patent office, Washington, D. C.:

J. W. Buford, Jr., Jackson, Tenn., car brake; C. J. Gustafson, Chattanooga, Tenn., steam or water throttle valve; J. Hays, Nashville, Tenn., mechanism for propelling vessels; W. S. Nash, Knoxville, Tenn., lock; J. P. Pierce, Elizabethton, Tenn., dip coffee pot; S. Benbow, Memphis, Tenn., exhaust fan; A. B. Rine, Harrodsburg, Ky., reingard attachment for shafts.

SLOWLY IT COMES

The Mighty Ohio is Now Fifty Feet Here.

A FOOT MORE IS EXPECTED.

Many of the Streets Now Submerged at Both Ends—Flood Notes.

STORM THIS MORNING, BUT NO DAMAGE.

The river is today fifty feet on the gauge, and still rising slowly. This has been a typical spring day, and river men were somewhat encouraged over the prospects.

They all agree that at least an ankle foot may be expected, without any more rain. With more rain, however, the outcome cannot be accurately forecast.

The rise in the last twenty-four hours was six inches or more. There was a slight rainfall this morning before daylight. Yesterday the crowd of sight-seers was larger than the preceding Sunday. All the luggies as well as all the skiffs, in the city were pressed into service, and in addition to these there were scores of visitors from other cities.

Since Saturday the Memphis freight trains on the I. C. have been cancelled, but the passengers continue to go as far as Wolfe river. There is now about six inches or a foot of water over the N. C. & St. L. road in the city.

The water is almost over the Illinois Central tracks in the freight yards here. The small rise of last night and today spread over a remarkably large territory, and now Jefferson and Second cannot be crossed except by boat. Workmen have been busily engaged all day and last night removing tobacco from the river front warehouses to a place of safety. Owen Bros. have moved a large portion of their corn from the island opposite the city, loading it into a barge.

The water has now crawled up to the market house on lower Court in the gutters. Up on Second street there is now quite a lake, and in the West and Southern suburbs the water has covered many streets that were above water yesterday.

With all the water there is here, however, only eight of the city's electric lights were under water this morning. By tonight, however, there may be a change. The stages of the river today are: Cairo, 51 rise of 3. Chattanooga, 33.3 rise of 3.7. Cincinnati, 37.6 fall of 2.7. Evansville, 39.3 fall of 6. Florence, 27.5 fall of 3.6. Johnsonville, 46.2 rise of 2.5. Louisville, 15.9 fall of 3.1. Mt. Carmel, 21.1 fall of 1.5. Nashville, 47.5 fall of 1.4. Pittsburgh, 12.1 fall of 8. St. Louis, 18.7 rise of 7. Paducah 50 rise of 4. The rise today has been about 1 here.

A MORNING HURRICANE.

A severe thunder storm, accompanied by heavy wind, passed over the city about 3 o'clock this morning, but did little or no damage, although it aroused a great many people from their slumbers.

On the river it was more forceful than on land and for a time the waves were very high. A butcher of Brooklyn who started to Paducah to replenish his stock of meat had his skiff almost swamped in the gale, but contrived to obtain temporary shelter in a house half submerged in water on the other side of the river. According to his statement the wind blew steadily from the south and backed the clouds up in the northwest, suddenly reversing and coming up the river in unrelenting fury. Quite a number of citizens were badly frightened by the blow.

UP ABOVE LIVINGSTON.

Mr. O. J. Wiley, of Hickmanville, Livingston county, was in the city yesterday and reports great damage up near his home. His big tobacco warehouse is under water, and the rise is almost equal to the one of 1894.

THE OWNERS' LOSS.

In Saturday's issue Maunier Tobacco, of the Standard Oil Co., was quoted as saying "the owners' would lose \$300,000." This was a typographical error wherein one letter made a vast change in the meaning intended to be conveyed.

Instead of "the owners," which would imply that the loss would be to the Standard Oil Co., it was written "the owners," an "h" being inserted instead of an "o." The Standard Oil Co. is not affected by the big rise.

PLANNED SITES.

County Physician Brothers has to visit the poor house in a boat now. The transfer boat is still able to land at the incline below the city,

but by Wednesday may have to be tied up.

Elevated railroad tracks may have to be used all over town in a few days.

Some of the streets would be quite picturesque were it not for the shanty boats.

The water is to Fourth street on nearly all the cross streets south of Broadway.

A few more inches of water will submerge the market house on the Court street side.

A skiff is what river men most fear now. Its damage would be almost incalculable.

The water will be across the Hickmanville road by morning. Oak Grove, however, is high and dry. City Physician Williamson says that by tomorrow he will be unable to reach the city hospital except by boat.

The indications this afternoon are for more rain. Rain won't help the river much at this stage—won't help it go down.

A report was in circulation today that the levee at Cairo had burst, and there was considerable excitement over it. The report could not be verified.

A small white boy was saved from drowning at the foot of Monroe street yesterday afternoon by a colored boy. The latter received a quarter for his heroism.

CUBAN SUCCESSES.

Recent Reports of Spanish Victory Prove to Have Been Defeats.

A special dispatch to the Globe-Democrat says: The Cuban Junta here received a message from Havana tonight directly contradicting the Spanish report sent out regarding the Spanish victories reported in the Province of Santiago de Cuba, near the town of Jangari. The Spanish report was that Gen. Rey, on March 15, pushed through the insurgent column with slight loss and defeated them; also, at Cantilla. The truth of the matter is that Gen. Rey, in his march from Viguitas, was opposed by the Cubans all along the route under the able command of an officer from Gen. Garcia's command, and he lost over 300 men in the several engagements of March 15, 16 and 17, at Salama Jacenibonita.

The Cubans were entrenched behind the stone wall of an old cemetery. The Spaniards attacked, but the Cubans waited until they were within a few hundred yards, when they delivered a fire from their repeating rifles which threw the Spaniards into utter confusion. The Cubans then rallied and made a fierce charge, driving the attacking forces half a mile. Re-enforcements then coming up, they retreated to their stone fort. The government forces marched off in another direction, not offering to molest them further. The Cubans followed, harassing the Spanish rear guard and cutting off many stragglers. The Spanish loss was over 100.

At Cantilla another sharp engagement was fought, in which Gen. Rey was defeated and had to retreat to save his forces. The details were not fully given, but it appears that the Cubans only had a small force in front, with heavy detachments on both flanks. The Spaniards rushed in on their cul de sac. Firing was opened on them from all points. The surprise was great and a panic ensued. Gen. Rey was wounded in the arm, and Col. Santos, his chief officer, was mortally wounded. After half an hour's fierce fighting Gen. Rey ordered a retreat, and for two miles the insurgents hung on their rear, inflicting many losses.

Col. Hernandez raided the towns of Milena and Milena del Sur, in Havana Province, the first of the week. Both places had Spanish garrisons of from 800 to 500 men each. On the appearance of the insurgents the garrisons retreated to their barracks in one case and into a stone church in another, not firing a shot. The Cubans looted the stores and burned many buildings belonging to Spanish sympathizers.

At Milena del Sur they built a huge bonfire in the plaza of the town, and held a wild midnight fandango by its light. All the securities of the place came out and joined them, and for three hours a wild revelry was held within pistol shot of the Spanish camp.

DEADMAN HELD.

The Half-Breed Indian Held Over Saturday. Henry Deadman, the half-breed Indian charged with stealing nine hogs from Robert Chambers, near Massac, was tried Saturday and held over, being brought back to the city and remanded to jail Saturday night by Constable Miller.

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SOCIAL PURITY.

This Will Probably Soon Be Agitated.

NO LAW AND ORDER LEAGUE.

Important Meeting at the Y. M. C. A. Hall Yesterday Afternoon.

THE MEMBERSHIP CONTEST NAMES.

There was a meeting of the fathers at the Y. M. C. A. hall yesterday afternoon, and some of the most prominent and influential business men in the city were present.

The meeting was held for the purpose of hearing the report of the committee on social purity, appointed some time since to formulate definite plans regarding the work.

The report was presented and adopted in part if not in whole. It is probable that in a few days an educational bureau on social purity will be established, but this will likely be the extent to which it is to be carried.

It will not be conducted on the aggressive policy of law and order leagues which have in the past sustained an ephemeral career. Yesterday afternoon it was suggested at the meeting that a legal move be made forthwith to quash all the lawless houses in Paducah, but this was straightway squelched as infeasible and imprudent.

Developments in the educational bureau may be expected in the near future.

It has been practically settled that within a week there will be a concerted action on the part of prominent business men to prevent the playing of baseball on Sunday here. This information was obtained from a reliable source today and those who are at the back of the move claim that it will be a success. It has never, however, been given out that any attempt will be made to play baseball in Paducah on Sunday.

Tonight a meeting will be held at the Young Men's Christian association for the purpose of completing arrangements for the membership contest. Captains and coaches will be chosen, and the remaining members be chosen by the respective sides. The names and colors have not been selected, but it is very probable that these will be the "Black Cat" and the "Yellow Kid." By the buttons now so popular. The result of the contest is to be the establishment of a bowling alley, and a trophy, to contain the names of the members on the winning side who obtained the largest number of members. There will be great interest manifested in the contest.

The Ministerial Association met at the Y. M. C. A. hall morning and enjoyed a paper on "Church Government," by Rev. H. L. Calhoun, of the Ninth street Christian church.

CUBANS SURE TO WIN.

Observations of Dr. Thomas Late-ly Returned From Cuba.

Baltimore, Md., March 22.—Dr. C. M. Thomas, of Milwaukee, Wis., is a Baltimorean and a representative of the Cuban League of the United States, to arrange a mass meeting of Cuban sympathizers. Dr. Thomas is a graduate of the University of Heidelberg, Germany. He went to Cuba last November and spent a month there studying the condition of affairs. With his headquarters at Havana, he made three trips into the interior, on one of them through the trenches, being closely spied upon by two Spaniards. He was at Mariel on December 3, the day before Maceo was killed there.

"The Cuban cause will win. It will be several years before the revolutionists will finally gain independence, but they will win in the end. I firmly believe," said Dr. Thomas. "The suffering among the Spanish soldiers is terrible. At Mariel I saw six, eight and ten of them lying in hammocks dying with yellow fever or smallpox. The Spanish authorities admit that they have 13,000 soldiers sick, but I estimate that there are at least 25,000. These poor soldiers do not receive the medical aid which they ought to have from the Spanish doctors, and the death rate among them is great. Why do I believe the Cubans will ultimately win? Because Spain thus far has done nothing toward subduing the revolution, although the loss has been in the island a force of 250,000 men. The Cubans are pursuing the policy of wearing out the Spanish troops, and that policy is going to prevail in the end. It costs Spain \$300,000 daily to keep her force in Cuba, and she is on the verge of financial ruin. In time she will have to yield to such pressure. The Cubans need not fight great battles. Disense is doing more to kill the Spaniards than they can do. The Cubans don't want American soldiers. If they had had arms and ammunition they could put 40,000 more men in the field from their own numbers. What they need is supplies of the munitions of war."

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PADUCAH'S FAIR.

This Year it Will be Held Beginning Sept. 7.

Meeting of the Kentucky Fair Association at Louisville.

MARKETS.

(Reported daily by Associated Press.)
Chicago, Ill., March 22.—May wheat opened at 73.75, highest point 74.50, closed at 73.75.
May corn opened at 24.50, closed at 24.50.
May oats opened at 17.50, closed at 17.50.
May pork opened at \$8.80-5 and closed at \$8.72.
May lard opened at \$1.25 and closed at \$1.20.
May ribs opened at \$1.80 and closed at \$1.70.
May cot on opened at \$7.07 and closed at \$7.07-8.
Clearances, 138,000.
N. W. receipts 391 cars.
Visible decrease in wheat 1,013, bushels.
Visible decrease in corn 718,000 bushels.

Paducah, Tuesday, September 7. July 13 will be offered to Winchester which was not represented at the meeting.

The date of the Paducah fair is somewhat earlier, by two or three weeks, than usual.

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WRITTEN AT RANDOM.
Mrs. B. J. Atkins, of Massac county, Ill., is a lady well known in Paducah, for she has been coming here for the past thirty-six years, selling butter, milk and eggs to people, some of whom she has supplied almost continuously all that time.

Mrs. Atkins is a lady well advanced in years, but is remarkably preserved, and would not be taken for a woman as old as she is. She now lives near Brooklyn, Ill., where she has made her home for fifty years or more, with the exception of one year she lived at Metropolis, and the six months she tried to be satisfied in Paducah.

"I have crossed the river a-foot twice in my life," she said. "Once forty years ago and again twenty years ago. This was when it was frozen over, and I expected last winter to be able to say that I had crossed it three times on foot, but it did not get quite cold enough to freeze it."

When asked how many years she had been making her bi-weekly trips to Paducah, she replied: "Well, the first regular trip I made were in 1851. I've been coming over since, except the year I lived in Metropolis and the six months I stayed in Paducah. I guess in thirty-six or thirty-seven years I have crossed the river 100 times or more."

Mrs. Atkins still has her horse and wagon, and uses the same old box she used years ago. Backwater, but for anything else can keep her away from Paducah. It is estimated that she has crossed the Ohio between Paducah and Brooklyn nearly 8,000 times in her life.

"I remember the time when Lincoln J. Carter, author of 'The First Mail,' used to 'do the props' for Frank Lincoln," said Mrs. Atkins. "He used to go around and look after the stage property, you know—a sort of stage hand. I guess that's how he got his name. I remember the time when Lincoln J. Carter, author of 'The First Mail,' used to 'do the props' for Frank Lincoln."

Some of the telegraph operators of America are alarmed over reports that the telegraph companies will adopt the international code to supersede the universally used Morse code. In case such a move were made, they would all have to learn the new code, which would convert them practically into beginners, and place a premium on a stationer who have already learned the international code. The latter is much in the nature of a shorthand, and the telegraph code is a simple one, and is so simple because the international code is so complicated to write that it is not possible to write it except by a few.

Errors in transmission of messages by telegraph are very common, as was demonstrated in a press dispatch sent out early Saturday morning last from Newport relative to the Jackson-Walling hanging. The dispatch was simply a preliminary announcement that Jackson and Walling hung at 7 o'clock. The telegraph operator who sent it, or the one who received it, added two letters to the "hang," rendering it "Jackson and Walling hanged at 7 o'clock," which completely changed the meaning, and resulted in false bulletins being passed all over the state, the Louisville Times even going so far as to get out an extra that the hanging was over.

To all those expecting to attend the Remount at Shiloh, which comes off on the 6th and 7th of April, there can be no more preferable to a trip up the river. Tennessee river upon some of the steamboats from this city. The St. Louis and Tennessee River Packet Company will have two or more of their elegant steamers leaving this city on the third day of April and arrive at the old battle ground on the night of the 5th or early the next morning. The trip of Paducah will be made from St. Louis with a large crowd of excursionists, but it is the palatial and speedy steamer Clyde that parties from here want to engage passage on. Every officer and man aboard from Capt. S. K. Thie down to the deck sweep knows exactly how to entertain excursionists and what to do to make them enjoy their trip. Of the thousands of old veterans and others who have made these round trip excursions to previous reunions, all have been heard in their praise of them and their beautiful craft, the steamer Clyde. In addition to the many interesting reminiscences of the bloody struggle thirty-five years ago yet to be seen on the old battle grounds, the affecting and fraternal meetings of the old boys in blue and grays who greet each other, the many relics to be found still, the sun stilling addresses to be heard, a view of the devastation wrought by the present deluge will be one of the features of the trip well worth witnessing. Besides there will be many of the old veterans aboard who will entertain the crowd with their reminiscences of what they went through on that gory field. The low rate of \$10 for the round trip has been agreed on from this city which includes berth, meals and two days board while at Shiloh. To all who

contemplate going war unhesitatingly recommend the steamer Clyde.

A few Sundays ago a young lady nurse at one of the hospitals joined a certain church. The usual formalities over, she was duly declared a member.

The following Sunday considerable surprise was evinced throughout the congregation when the same young lady, apparently, went up to join again. It developed, however, that it was her twin sister, who also desired to join the church. The two young ladies are said to be so much alike that they can hardly tell each other apart, and their resemblance is what occasioned the congregational surprise on the Sunday in question.

Many amusing incidents frequently occur, when relatives elsewhere hear of high water at Cairo, and write for dear ones here to come to places of safety, says the Cairo "Telegram." One of these that came to our hearing was of an aged lady up in Ohio, whose son is, and has been a well known and popular resident of Cairo for a number of years past. The good old mother asks her son to leave Cairo and take his family to his old home, and tells him there is only six feet of water on the first floor of the old homestead. In another instance the friends of a prominent Eighth Street business man are figuring on the chances of helping the gentleman deliver the surplus of a liberal supply of provisions he had stored away in his pantry yesterday, while making preparations to report the great act, entitled "Naah's Ark."

Saturday morning a gentleman called at the county clerk's office in the court house on business. It was very early, however, and no one had come down. The clerk was being cleaned for the day by the janitor, and the gentleman was invited to wait the arrival of Clerk Vandum. When the sweeping and dusting were finished the door was shut and the gentleman left in. There is a spring lock on the door, which can be opened from the inside. This the gentleman did not know, it appears, as he raised the window a couple of hours later and began to yell that he was locked in. He had been trying for some time to get out, and when released and showed how easy it was to open the door by pressing the lock he just swore softly to himself and started out in quest of someone to administer a few good, swift kicks.

DRIFTWOOD.
GATHERED ON THE LEVEE.
Notes.
Yesterday was a rather lively day at the river levee.

The Peter Hottel left this morning for the Tennessee river after a law of two.

The towboat Fritz passed down this morning with Lay's steamboat in tow, for Cairo.

The towboat R. A. Speed, is due here out of the Tennessee with a tow of two for Monday.

HOW IT WAS DONE.
Review of the Corbett-Fitzsimmons Fight.
By a Local Sporting Man of Prominence.

In commenting upon the Corbett-Fitzsimmons contest at Carson, City, on St. Patrick's day there seems to be a feeling, or it may be termed a prejudice, against Fitzsimmons, and very few of the sporting fraternity are willing to grant Fitzsimmons the credit for the victory that he justly deserves and has fairly won.

We will take into consideration the merits of the two great pugilists, and from an unbiased standpoint you will observe the following: Corbett placed himself entirely in the hands of his trainers, and his intentions were to make it a long-drawn-out fight, from the fact that he is not a hard hitter, although he has over-estimated his strength. Proof of this you will see in this contest. Did he duze Fitzsimmons with any one of the forty-three times that he struck him? No, he simply went him out, by hitting him repeatedly on the head, and avoiding a cross counter, or return blow, by his shiftness on his feet.

He hit Fitz forty-three times, and it did not surprise him in the least, because Fitz seemed to take punishment. He did not underestimate Corbett's repeated hits, he knew that Corbett was the quickest man that ever donned the gloves, and he also knew that his hits were lacking the necessary steam to knock him out. If Corbett could have continued at his gait for thirty or forty rounds, with his excellent work in hitting Fitz about his head, he would have been a 10 to 3 winner, but Fitz checked him and the fight in its infancy. Corbett is a very scientific boxer on the stage, the peer of any man living, but fancy sparring, like a grand stand baseball player, will never answer in a prize ring. Fitzsimmons did not place himself in the hands of his trainers, on the other hand, he assumed complete control over them, as he has done in all of his battles, and transfigures himself.

Fitz was not relying upon his science to win his battle, but upon his bull dog tenacity, and is willing to take three round, hard punches for each one that he can deliver. In twenty-two battles he has knocked out his opponents, while on the other hand, his jaws, with the exception of his last two when he used a heart and stomach punch successfully.

Fitz played generally at Corbett's head, leaving him to believe that he intended the knock-out blow on the jaw, as usual, and Corbett became somewhat careless about guarding his chest, head, and stomach and Fitz saw a beautiful opening and then he landed terrifically between the heart and stomach, and in my opinion it was one of the most scientific blows ever delivered in a prize ring. To prove this I will explain the blow according to the New York "World's" reports, as follows:

Both men in a Corbett lead at Fitz, and with his left, and throw his right hand about 14 inches. Fitzsimmons took a step back, bringing his right foot forward, Corbett's left hand going to his head, and Fitz's hand going in the neck of Corbett's right shoulder, and Fitz's right hand is between his opponent's heart and stomach. It was not the force, or the strength of Fitz's left arm that put Corbett out, but the strength of his whole body, and the right leg movement simultaneously, all brought into play in very short order, as it had to be done very quickly to meet shifty him.

I see Corbett is anxious to meet Fitzsimmons again. In my opinion Corbett will be a whipped man in six rounds. He had better retire with honors as a second-rater; he is outclassed.

Mrs. Fitzsimmons is deserving of great praise for the prominent part, and the intense interest that she manifested in her husband's welfare at the ring side. A grumpy little lady, that was.

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is an art, and the man who has his garments made to measure by his tailor, the key to that art. It doesn't require any arguing to show you that you can get a better fit and more style in a suit or an overcoat when they are made to you.

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WEATHER REPORT.

Louisville, March 22.—Local thunder storms this afternoon and tonight. Tuesday, fair and colder.

LOCAL MENTION.

An efficacious remedy for lung affections, throat disorders and all bronchial troubles is found in Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey. This medicine has made many marvelous cures and is justly ranked among the most important remedies of the age.

For sale by Ochsenger & Walker.

Mayfield Crowd Here.

Yesterday afternoon a crowd consisting of two car loads of people from Mayfield and other points in the county came on the afternoon train and returned at 6 o'clock.

For Boys and Girls Only.

We have just received a fresh lot of Ox-Blood Eton and Middy leather caps. Price 50c. B. WELLS & SONS.

Fall From His Bike.

Mr. J. L. Kilgore, the well known manufacturer, was painfully injured by a fall from his bicycle yesterday. He is greatly improved today, however, and was out attending to business.

Just tell them that you saw this, and that we have just received a new lot of those handsome Ox-Blood Eton and Middy leather caps. Price 50c. B. WELLS & SONS.

Small Blaze Saturday.

Saturday evening at 6:30 the fire department was called out to extinguish a small blaze at the house of Melvin Thompson, colored, 630 Campbell street. The fire started from the kitchen and destroyed most of the kitchen.

Diethyltans are in all shades. 310 Broadway.

A Nice Position.

Mr. Lawrence W. Copeland, of Massac county, has received a nice position at the hands of the adjutant general of Illinois, having been appointed custodian of Memorial Hall at Springfield. Mr. Copeland is a worthy recipient of the honor, having done valiant service for the cause of Republicanism in Massac.

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A Musicale.

The Pastors Aid Society of the First Baptist church is arranging for a musicale to be given Tuesday evening. The place and program will be published later. Watch for the announcement.

Wanted to Buy.

Second-hand shoes of all kinds. 1314-15 Broadway.

Home Beef.

If you want nice home beef, buy from a home butcher, whose name and reputation is a guarantee that the quality of his meat is all right. John Theobald guarantees all his meats to be first-class in every respect. Steaks, 5 and 5, market house, 613-5.

Be There.

Every public spirited citizen of Paducah should be present at the meeting at the city hall this evening to take action with reference to false reports of Paducah's damage from the flood. Much injury has been done the city by the reports, and the error should be corrected as quickly and thoroughly as possible.

SICK HEADACHE

Can be promptly cured by taking Glatton's Catarrh Headache Powder. The well known medicinal properties of the catarrh plant, combined with other remedies of a similar nature is an infallible cure for all kinds of headache and neuralgia. Money refunded if cure is not effected. Sold exclusively at McPHERSON'S

4TH AND BROADWAY.

PERSONALS.

Z. T. Long, of Mayfield, was here yesterday.

Ad. Curd, of Mayfield, spent Sunday here.

Mr. Frank Beard and wife left at noon for St. Louis.

Mr. Sam Carriee, of Mayfield, was in the city yesterday.

Mr. Julius Rothchild, of Louisville, was in the city yesterday.

Mr. Joe Rothchild left today on a three months' trip up the river.

Miss Lizzie Alliston has returned from a visit to Gertrude, Tex.

Mr. Marvin Wright and wife, of Mayfield, visited in the city yesterday.

Richard Yeltema and Uncle Billy returned this morning from Princeton.

Editor Sydney Scott, of the "Fultonian-Democrat," was in the city yesterday.

Miss Barrett left this morning for Louisville, after a visit to Mrs. Geo. Langstaff, Jr.

Attorney R. T. Lightfoot left at noon for Marion, Ill., to defend Brown and Bruner, the Metropolitan bankers.

Mrs. F. E. Thomas, of Dyersburg, who has been here on a visit to Mrs. W. B. Mather and Mrs. J. L. Webb, left at noon for St. Louis.

Mr. Herman Boswell, who has been in Louisville and Cincinnati for the past eight months, passed through the city today en route to his home in Mayfield.

Rev. M. E. Chappell, of the Cumberland Presbyterian church, left at noon for Mayfield to attend the Mayfield presbytery, which convenes today and lasts until Friday.

LADY TO REST.

Funeral of Mrs. Barbara Muller, an Old Resident.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Barbara Muller took place from the St. Francis De Sales church at 10 o'clock this morning, burial at Mt. Carmel.

The deceased died suddenly Saturday night at 7:30 o'clock of a congestive chill at her home, 818 Washington street. Ten years ago, almost to the day, her husband died in the same bed in the same room of the same ailment at the same hour, after being ill the same length of time, about three hours. The deceased was a native of Germany, and had lived in Paducah since before the war.

She left two daughters, Mrs. J. F. Schraeve, of St. Louis, and Mrs. Teresa Kierce, of Kansas City. Mr. Thomas Messers, Joseph Muller, of Leadville, Col., and W. H. and John Muller, also survive their mother.

WANTS A DIVORCE.

Mrs. Emma Rehkopf Files Suit Here.

Mrs. Emma Rehkopf has filed suit in the circuit court here against her husband, Mr. Henry Rehkopf, for divorce, alleging that her husband's conduct indicates a settled aversion, etc.

Mrs. Rehkopf is now visiting in Tennessee, and an effort to compromise the case failed. The case will come up at the next term of court. Mrs. Rehkopf was formerly a Miss Collins.

TOO MUCH RECKLESSNESS.

Of Children Playing About the Back Water.

Yesterday afternoon a small boy whose name could not be learned fell from a raft in the back water between Seventh and Eighth on 11th street, and came near being drowned.

There is too much recklessness in playing about the water, which is very deep in some places, and the wonder is that some one has not been drowned already.

THE PAY TRAIN

Will Arrive in Paducah Next Wednesday.

Assistant Paymaster Howell passed through from the St. Louis division on the pay train Saturday night, and it will leave Louisville tomorrow morning, paying off to Beaver Dam on Tuesday. It will on Wednesday pay off from Beaver Dam to Paducah.

Just tell them that you saw this, and that we have just received a new lot of those handsome Ox-Blood Eton and Middy leather caps. Price 50c. B. WELLS & SONS.

Didn't Know His Name.

Sunday night Irene Gardner, colored, claimed that a colored man attacked her on Second street near Jefferson and clinched her several blocks, then attempting to break into her house. She did not know his name, but thinks it was Will Smith.

Deaths of Children.

Minnie Bailey, aged 2 years, died at the residence of her father, Mr. J. P. Bailey, on Huntington Row, today.

Mr. Will Orr is mourning the loss of one of his twins, who died this morning.

For the foot wear to Diehl's, 310 Broadway. "The styles the latest and prices the lowest."

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BUSY SESSION.

John McGeehe Fined \$100 and Costs.

JOHN WHIPPED HIS WIFE.

A Lunatic Gets Off From a Charge of Fighting.

A RESUME OF THE POLICE COURT.

Judge Sanders had a large docket this morning, and the police court room was crowded. Several large placards bearing the words "No one but officers and attorneys allowed inside the railing," have been hung around the room, but little or no heed is paid to them, and the enclosure is daily filled with idle sight seers. If they were ordered out once or twice they would soon realize that they are not wanted.

George Meadows and Joe Meadows were arraigned on a charge of fighting. "I have been in the asylum two years, your honor," said Meadows, "and don't recollect anything about what happened."

Further questioning developed the fact that he lives at Hopkinsville and was in the asylum for two years, although he was released last April. He has been working at Fulton.

The other man is a cigar maker, and a cripple. He said that he met Meadows and the latter asked him for money to get a beer. He replied that he had no money, but would take him around to his boarding house. On their way Meadows tried on Meadows' sore foot and was pushed away. He was so drunk that he fell.

The evidence being heard, Judge Sanders gave the culprits the benefit of the doubt and dismissed the case.

Will Grant and Bale Gossett, colored, were fined \$20 and costs for "immorality in the police court."

Duke Blackwell, an aged and well known resident of Livingston county, was before the court charged with drunkenness. Judge Sanders said he had known the defendant for years, and that he was a good, hard working man until he became drunk. Although it is a hard matter for Judge Sanders to fine a man from his native county, he had to assess the criminal, \$1 and costs.

John Lovelace, for a similar offense, was fined a similar amount.

Mr. Ed Morgan, the well known liverman, was charged with using threatening language towards Mrs. Sophronia Bowles. The drunkenness over the playing of a horse in a stable claimed by Mrs. Bowles, and the warrant was dismissed.

Zeno Williams, colored, was fined \$5 and costs for jumping on and off a street car.

John McGeehe, colored, who came near killing his wife, Amanda McGeehe, several nights ago because he said he caught her with another man, was tried in Judge Sanders' court today and fined \$100 and costs for the offense. Both McGeehe and his wife have served terms in the penitentiary.

Linda Lloyd, Lena Fowler and Lou Lloyd, colored ladies, were charged before Judge Sanders this morning with carrying in a mutual fight, but admitted not guilty.

BOTH FELL OUT.

Damp Experience of Col. R. G. Caldwell Today.

Mr. R. G. Caldwell, of the Paducah Building Trust Co., and son, Mike, were treated to a damp experience this morning. Mr. Caldwell resides on the old Boyd place, near Broadway, and is entirely surrounded by water. He reaches Broadway by means of a skiff, and this morning soon after he and his son got in the boat was capsized, and they were left in several feet of water. Egan accuses the other of having caused the accident.

A number of other accidents are reported, but none of serious consequence.

ACCIDENTALLY SHOT.

Was Lee Rudolph By His Sister, in Marshall County.

Benton, Ky., March 23.—Lee Rudolph, of the county, was accidentally shot by his sister yesterday. Particulars are not at hand.

James A. Glatton is showing considerable enterprise in taking care of his stock. He is still ready for all business in his line. Telephone 148 for what you want.

Lost, Then Found.

A lady complained to Marshal Collins this afternoon that a boy came to her home begging about noon stole a valuable watch. She afterwards reported, however, that it had been found.

Crowding the Season.

The first barefooted boys of the season were seen on the street today. There is a likely to be in the gutter as not next week, however, thanks to the uncertain weather.

ALF ROGERS' SUIT

Against the Union Central Life Insurance Company

Makes That Corporation Come Down With Facts in the Matter.

About a year ago Alf Rogers, deceased, made application with D. Johnson, agent at this place, for \$1000 life insurance; the premium for which was to be settled for on delivery of the policy.

When the policy was delivered Mr. Johnson accepted Mr. Rogers' note, due in ninety days, for the amount of the premium.

At the maturity of this note Mr. Rogers did not pay it, or any part of it, and according to the terms of the policy contract the insurance lapsed and became void at that time.

Mr. Rogers never paid any money to the company and never reinstated his insurance and had no claim of any kind against the company.

Since his death his brother, George P. Rogers, who evidently believes that corporations ought to be treated on general principles, has requested the Union Central to let him pay off his brother's note and that they should pay him the face of the policy; and the company, refusing to acknowledge any claim of or to him, he has brought suit, doubting on the question, that rather than stand suit and the usual unfavorable remarks of ignorant persons in regard to contested claims, the company will pay a part or all of the claim.

Undoubtedly George P. Rogers is, as the saying goes, "barking up the wrong tree," as the Union Central's managers have, long ago, declared it as much their duty to resist an unjust claim as to pay a just one.

The Union Central has "Millions for defense, but not a cent for tribute," D. Johnson, Agent.

FOR TRESPASS.

Two Residents of the County Warranted Today.

Charged With Tearing Down and Burning a Man's Fence.

Chas. Helm and Jim Bolin, of the county, were warranted in Justice Winchester's court this morning for trespass.

The men were allowed to move on H. L. Stevens' place near Oaks several months ago, and he claims that they have been tearing down and destroying his fences, leaving gates open and perpetrating other acts of vandalism on his place. The warrant was sent out to be executed.

THE FRANKLIN CASE.

Continued Today in the Benton Court.

Some of the Witnesses Were Absent—Considerable Excitement.

The case against Noah Franklin, charged with the murder of Daisy Sullivan, near Brownsburg, was called in the Benton circuit court this morning and continued until the next term of court on account of the absence of witnesses.

It was thought that the case would be ready for trial, and there was great disappointment over the continuance. According to reports that reached here today, considerable feeling has been worked up in Marshall county.

IMPORTANT MEETING.

A Call to the Defense of the City of Paducah

Against False Impressions Occasioned by Exaggerated Reports of the Flood.

The business men of the city, and all who may feel an interest in Paducah, are called to meet at the city hall tonight at 7:30 to take some action to correct and give public expression of disapproval of the false representations sent out by incorrect reports to the press in other cities as to the effect the swollen rivers are having on the business and manufacturing interests here. It is hoped all who feel an interest will attend.

STUMBLED AND FELL.

Painful Accident That Beel Mrs. Wm. Mercer.

Mrs. Wm. Mercer, an aged lady of Jackson street, stumbled and fell yesterday afternoon and badly wrenched her left limb. Owing to her age the injury is quite severe.

The N. C. & St. L. railroad is now open for business for freight and passengers between Paducah and Memphis. Call on Frank B. Trench, S. F. and P. 425 Broadway, or at depot.

We are Unpacking Spring Goods Every Day.

"Spice and span" new, stylish ones. It will pay you to visit our store often. We propose to make this the store in which you can best and most economically get your needs supplied.

It is pleasurable indeed to see so many of the faces of our old customers at our new store.

We believe that we are better prepared to serve you to your liking than ever before and we earnestly and cordially invite the ladies of Paducah and vicinity to come to see us often in our new quarters and to keep in touch with the new goods as they arrive.

Our advertising space is much too small to give you any adequate conception of the many good things we have provided for our customers.

Dress Goods.

Five pieces all wool novelty chevot, full 36 inches wide, ought to bring 35c a yard, our price 23 1-2c.

Five pieces silk and wool mixtures, elegant in appearance and inexpensive at our price; would be cheap at 50c, our price 30c.

Woolenettes in the 15c quality for 11 1-2c yard.

The best test we know of to judge of a dry goods store is its black dress goods stock. We shall not attempt a description of the variety and beauty of our stock. Plain weaves, serges, novelties and very chic styles are now ready for inspection.

Dress Lining.

The new silk and mohair novelties at prices to please you.

Cream Venice lace with yoking to match, so rich over silk in giving tone and character to the dress.

Fancy silk colored chignons and mouselines de son and braids and head trimming to match all of the newest shades of the season.

Kid Gloves.

With skillfully contrived anatomic fastenings, you will appreciate them. We have the exclusive agency—sold only here. Very handsome and stylish. Paris best, or the price. Ox blood, the new tan and plain blacks all richly embroidered. We price them for a dollar—ought to be \$1.25.

We also make a special sale of dressy, large button kid gloves at 50c, worth \$1.

Many new things in belts now on display.

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The young man is the son of a prominent preacher and is known throughout the county. There are connected with the alleged attempted suicide, circumstances which reveal a humorous side to it, and exemplify the vanity of human nature.

Young Garrett first intended to place the pistol in his mouth to fire the fatal shot, but decided that death would be too sudden. He then placed it over his heart, but concluded that this, too, would take him away too expeditiously. He then rested the weapon against his abdomen and shot, afterwards explaining that he wanted to live long enough to tell them why he did it and to see how they took it.

HUMANE SOCIETY.

President Hubbard, of Boston, Here Today.

Organized Several Branch Societies in the Schools.

President Hubbard, of the Boston Humane Educational Society, who has been traveling through the South organizing branch societies, is in the city today, and at the High School building organized eight separate Humane Societies.

President Hubbard made brief addresses in each room, setting forth the object and advantages of the society.

Several societies were also organized at other buildings, and it is likely that permanent organizations will be effected forthwith.

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